

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**APPLICANT:** 

Bachmann et al.

**GROUP:** 

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**SERIAL NO:** 

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**EXAMINER:** 

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FOR:

DOOR WITH STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS

CONFIGURED TO RADIATE ACOUSTIC

ENERGY [as amended]

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above identified application, please amend the application as follows:

## **IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 2, 8-9, 11-15, 17-18 and 21-22 and 24-31 as follows: